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Inventor(s): CHANDRASEGARAN

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Examiner: Patterson

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FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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| 2. Total Effective Claims   |  | 32                               |  | **minus 32                               |  | 0                |  | x \$22/\$11 =      |  | + 0            |  | 103/203  |  |
| 3. Independent Claims   |  | 2                                |  | ***minus 3                               |  | 0                |  | x \$82/\$41 =      |  | + 0            |  | 102/202  |  |
| 4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application) ..... |  |                                  |  | add                                      |  |                  |  | + \$270/\$135 =    |  | + 0            |  | 104/204  |  |
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| 11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r) .....  |  |                                  |  |  |  | + \$790/395 =    |  |                    |  | + 0            |  | 146/246  |  |
| 12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b) .....  |  |                                  |  |  |  | x \$770/385 ea = |  |                    |  | + 0            |  | 149/249  |  |
| 13. Petition fee for  |  |                                  |  |  |  |                  |  |                    |  | +              |  |          |  |
| 14. TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =  |  |                                  |  |  |  |                  |  |                    |  |                |  | \$0      |  |

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Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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Sir:


Submitted herewith is an executed Supplemental Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.67, and Power of Attorney in the above patent application, for which an unexecuted copy was filed with the response filed on September 8, 1997. Applicants believe that this executed Declaration should be sufficient to perfect the claimed priority for each of the patent applications cited in the Declaration. Entry and consideration of this Declaration is respectfully requested.

If Examiner Patterson has any questions about this matter, he is sincerely encouraged to telephone the undersigned counsel at one of the numbers listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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